



TRANSFER GUIDE

AAS Mortuary Science Transferring into BS Mortuary Science & Funeral Service

Carl Sandburg College Courses			
AAS Mortuary Science – 70 hours			
ENG 101-3	Freshman Composition I	MTS 140-4	Embalming 1
CHM 100-3	Concepts of Chemistry	MTS 160-5	Funeral Services Administration
BIO 111-4	Anatomy & Physiology Fundmntls	MTS 170-4	Restorative Art
BLA 202-3	Business Law	MTS 215-2	Intro Mass Fatalities Incidents
MTS 150-3	Psychology of Grief & Death	MTS 225-3	Thanatochemistry
MTS 110-3	History of Mortuary Science	MTS 220-4	Funeral Directing
MTS 120-3	Mortuary Law	MTS 230-4	Embalming 2
MTS 130-2	Intro to Microbiol-Mort Science	MTS 240-1	Funeral Service Seminar
MTS 131-2	Intro to Pathology-Mort Science	MTS 250-3	Funeral Service Practicum
MTS 210-4	Funeral Service Counseling	MTS 260-3	Restorative Arts/Embalm Practicum
BUS 201-3	Management Fundamentals	MTS 270-1	Exam Review Seminar
ACC 101-3	Principles of Financial Accounting		
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses			
BS Mortuary Science & Funeral Service – 68 hours			
CMST 101-3	Intro to Oral Communication	MSFS 302-3	Restorative Color & Cosmetics
MATH 101/108-3	Intro Contemp Math/Coll Algebra	MSFS 351-4	Funeral Service Management
PSYC 102-3	Intro to Psychology	MSFS 352-3	Funeral Service Merchandising/Mktg
SOC 108-3	Intro to Sociology	MSFS 355-3	Embalming Chemistry
PHIL 104-3	Ethics	MSFS 360-4	Advanced Embalming Procedures
PLB 115-3	General Biology	MSFS 364-3	Cremation Practices
Fine Arts-3		MSFS 401-2	Funeral Service Counseling
Multicultural-3		Electives-20	300/400 Level to satisfy 42 senior hours
MSFS 270-2	Computers in Funeral Service		
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 138 Hours			

Questions? Contact Us!

Salary Range: \$25,000-\$68,000

Possible Careers: Embalmer
Funeral Attendant
Funeral Director
Coroner

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Baccalaureate Degree Requirements Each candidate for a bachelor's degree must complete the requirements listed:

Hour Requirements. Each student must complete at least 120 semester hours of credit. Each student must have at least 42 hours in courses that number 300 or above from a four-year institution.

Residence Requirements. Each student must complete the residence requirement by taking the last year, which is defined as 30 uninterrupted semester hours, or a total of 90 semester hours at SIU Carbondale.

Grade Point Average Requirements. Each student must have a C average for all work taken at SIU Carbondale. Some academic programs may require a higher graduating major GPA.

Dual Admission Program

The Dual Admission Program (DAP) allows baccalaureate-oriented students at eligible community colleges to benefit from pre-advisement for a chosen major at SIU Carbondale. The DAP addresses specific departmental requirements that a student may not automatically fulfill by completing their associate degree at their community college. Students apply to the DAP by completing the Application for Undergraduate Admission and indicating interest in the DAP. Students must have at least two semesters remaining at their community college to participate, [must select a participating SIU major](#), and [must attend an eligible community college](#). Students who apply for the DAP are provided a transfer plan that will guide them to the most direct route to their bachelor's degree, along with personalized contact with an SIU representative. Dual Admission Program students receive access to enroll in an online Dual Admission Program course, which connects students early to the University, its resources, and other transfer students.

Compact Agreement

SIU has recognized the Illinois regionally accredited community college transferable baccalaureate oriented Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degrees under the Compact Agreement since 1970. SIU will continue to recognize the baccalaureate oriented associate degree (A.A. or A.S. degree) under the Illinois Articulation Initiative as satisfying SIU University Core Curriculum (UCC). The Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.), Associate in Engineering Science (A.E.S.), the Associate in General Studies (A.G.S.), and the Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) are not covered under the Compact Agreement and do not carry the same benefits as the A.A. and A.S. degrees.

Degree Works

Degree Works is an easy-to-use, comprehensive, online degree audit tool specifically designed for students. The audit reflects program requirements from the Undergraduate Catalog measured against registration and transfer work to guide the degree audit function as it applies to the individual student. Once admitted to SIU Carbondale, you can run a Degree Works degree audit against your academic record by searching "Degree Works" in [SalukiNet](#).